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INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION NO. <b>PCT/JP2004/000395</b>		U.S. APPLICATION NO. (if known, see 37 CFR 1.5) <b>10/543079</b>
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TITLE OF INVENTION <b>IMAGE PICKUP SYSTEM AND IMAGE PROCESSING PROGRAM</b>		
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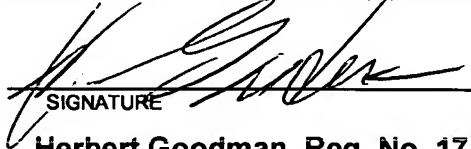
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